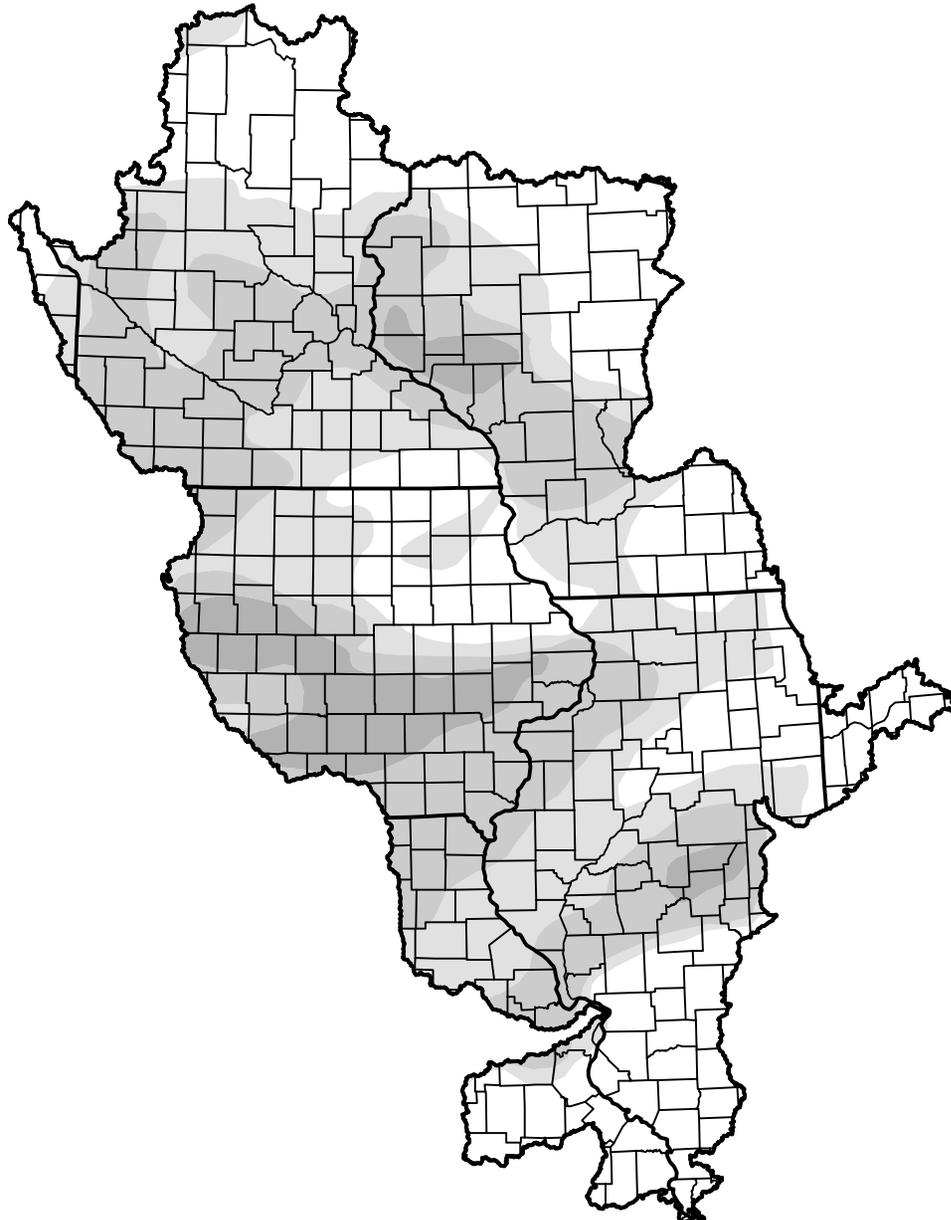


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Mississippi Watershed

**January 21, 2014**  
 (Released Thursday, Jan. 23, 2014)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	35.55	27.59	29.39	7.48	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-16-2014</i>	35.55	27.59	29.39	7.48	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-24-2013</i>	18.21	33.77	30.48	17.02	0.52	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2014</i>	35.58	27.56	29.39	7.48	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2013</i>	12.80	24.91	37.18	24.58	0.52	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-24-2013</i>	5.12	14.67	34.86	31.74	13.61	0.00

***Intensity:***



*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>*

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